

Democracy in the Radical Manner Has Some Strange Ends

Today's Quotation
To convince a poor voter by the common argument of promised reforms is merely to corrupt him with hope.

—Sir Charles Darling

Americans would do well to ponder a couple of Associated Press overseas dispatches which appeared in the Sunday papers.

Writing from London, Leonard Liddington reported Europeans can't make sense out of our political system. As his dispatch put it:

"Primary elections to pick a delegate who goes to a convention and votes as he chooses for a candidate who will have to run all over again in November — the European just shrugs his shoulders. . . . 'The selection of presidential candidates,' the Frankfurt Allgemeine Zeitung told its readers, 'is dependent on so many decisions, considerations, accidents, intrigues, and schemes that predicting the winner is not much more certain than a lottery.'"

Americans recognize the truth of what the quoted German editor said. This is a republic, and we do things the hard way.

Some of our own people, too, find fault with our system. They say our republic is imperfect because it isn't a true democracy—it's a representative democracy. A true democracy, they say, wouldn't fool around with state lines, Electoral Colleges, or constitutional limitations of power upon the Congress and the President; in a true democracy everyone would vote on absolutely everything — and the result would be immeasurably better than it is in our confused republic.

Well, this gets me around to that second AP dispatch from abroad. It's datelined Paris, and it says:

"The French republic, which once lopped off the head of one of its kings, is showing a new friendliness toward the official claimants to a non-existent throne."

"Henri de France, Count of Paris, made his first public appearance before an applauding audience at the Lyons International Trade Fair this spring less than two years since parliament repealed the law which had long kept him in exile."

"No less a personage than 79-year-old Edouard Herriot, who as speaker of the National Assembly is — after President Vincent Auriol — the highest ranking official of the Fourth Republic, had invited him. He was accorded official precedence."

The French republic, unlike our representative democracy, gives almost absolute power to its parliament — and it is a fair judgment to report that most Americans are thinking about turning their republic back into a kingdom figure that the French governmental system has been a lousy failure.

Furthermore, the record of history shows that all true democracies have been lousy failures. Because in a true democracy you hand a blank check for the nation's entire fortune and the keys for all its jails over to a crowd of politicians — the inevitable result being that the people wake up to find themselves broken in both purse and spirit.

But a representative democracy, such as the American Republic assumes from the beginning that only limited powers can be entrusted to public officials because the citizens themselves propose to give only a limited amount of time to public business. We don't propose to put ourselves in a position where we've got to meet a life-or-death issue on absolutely every election day.

The true democracies lay great store by such nonsense.

Maybe our representative democracy has ways that are strange to foreigners, but we certainly aren't figuring on turning this republic into a kingdom — and that's something that makes sense to the freemen of all nations.

South Swelters in Heat, Few Areas Relieved

B The Associated Press

Although the Weather Bureau says chances for a general drenching rain are slim, sections of Arkansas enjoyed a brief respite from the depressing heat yesterday.

Texasiana had 1.51 inches of rain with at least nine other cities reporting light rainfall.

However, the showers apparently were not heavy enough to give relief to the sun-baked crops which enter the 38th day of drought today.

Gusty winds created minor dust storms at Little Rock and Texarkana. The capital city's temperatures dropped 15 degrees in 15 minutes yesterday afternoon. A trace of rain was recorded.

The southern section of the state may be dampened slightly this afternoon, with the Weather Bureau also forecasting slight, temporary temperature drops.

Blytheville, for the second successive day, was the hottest spot in the state. The Northwest Arkansas city reported a high of 107 degrees.

Local Guards Study Plans for Annual Camp

Lt. Walter Salce, of the local National Guard, attended a Regimental Staff Conference at Camp Robinson, June 28 and 29, where he received instructions and details concerning the general aspects of the National Guard summer encampment at Camp Polk, Louisiana, August 3d to 17th.

Present planning is to make this summer encampment the best organized and most successful yet.

For those who qualify, there is still a short time to join the Guard and receive regular pay and this expense-paid vacation. Only men of ages 17 to 35 need apply.

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Gloomy Republican Governors See Difficulties as Demos Talk of Civil Rights Issues

By JACK BELL

HOUSTON, Tex., (AP) Gloomy Republican governors forecast difficulties for their party in November as warring Democrats talked today of civil rights issues which might let them win the presidency.

Forecasters said the Republicans would be the underdogs in the general election came from two supporters of Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower — Gov. Alfred E. Driscoll of New Jersey and Gov. Walter Kohler of Wisconsin. They agreed the GOP nominee would be the outsider in the betting, whether he is Eisenhower or Sen. Robert A. Taft of Ohio.

On the other hand, Democratic executives gathered for the annual Governors Conference here sounded a back-dumping note of confidence that they will win with any nominee they can agree upon at their Chicago convention.

Many of them, however, were waiting for a scheduled news conference answer by Gov. Adlai E. Stevenson of Illinois to the often-repeated question of what he might do about a presidential draft movement.

There was no indication that Stevenson would travel beyond his latest observation that it remains to be seen what might happen in that event.

Gov. James F. Byrnes of South Carolina, firebrand of the Southern Democratic battle against President Truman's civil rights program, could supply some information on Stevenson's chances later in the day, if he chose to.

The former Supreme Court justice and secretary of state was keeping a tight rein on any comment, but friends assayed an analysis of his position as this:

He would oppose — possibly to the extent of an open revolt — any nominee who embraced a platform plank calling for action by Congress on such controversial issues as creation of a fair employment practices commission (FEPC) with powers to enforce its rulings against job discrimination.

There was no answer, however, to reporters' questions as to whether the threatened revolt would occur if such a potential nominee as Stevenson, with Southern family connections, headed a ticket which ran on a platform pledging affirmative action on civil rights proposals.

Gov. Paul A. Devers of Massachusetts, the Democratic keyholder, left no doubt he hopes the party-splitting civil rights issue can be compromised. Devers said he thinks almost any Democratic nominee can win in November.

He included in this, Sen. Richard Russell of Georgia, champion of the anti-civil rights group. He said Taft would be more difficult to beat than Eisenhower.

While observers left some room for natural optimism on the part of Devers, Driscoll and Kohler made it plain they think the Republicans have some corn-row hoeing to do before they can reasonably expect a victory in November.

"I don't think any Republican is going to have an easy chance to win the presidency this year," Kohler told a news conference.

He said he believes the task would be much easier if Eisenhower is the nominee than if Taft wins at the convention opening July 7 at Chicago.

He and Driscoll agreed they will work just as hard for Taft as for Eisenhower, if the Ohio senator wins the nomination.

Driscoll said he thinks some Republicans are living in a "never-never land" of dreams that their candidate will be a shoo-in next November.

Gov. Dan Thornton of Colorado, an Eisenhower rooster, forecast that the general would win the nomination on the third ballot at Chicago.

Gov. Val Peterson of Nebraska, defeated by Sen. Hugh Butler for the senatorial nomination from his state, opened the conference formally. Peterson, an Eisenhower backer, is chairman of the conference.

Peterson told his colleagues in a prepared address that state governments are not entirely in the clear on the same kind of corruption charges that have been made against the federal government.

"Some corruption has touched us as today it soils our central government," Peterson declared. "As the federal government has encroached upon the proper sphere of the states, we, too, have encroached upon the rightful fields of the units of local government."

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Nation's Death Toll Shoots Up

CHICAGO (AP)—The nation's death toll for May shot up to 3,100 — the highest May figure on record, the National Safety Council announced today.

Last month's toll was a 12 percent increase over May in 1951 and an increase of 94 deaths over the previous May in 1950 and an increase of 94 deaths over the previous high for May — 2,986 in 1947.

Saturday's 102 Is Hottest of Year in Hope

Saturday was the hottest day this section has seen all year—official records at the University of Arkansas Experiment Station show a high of 102 and a low of 71.

Traces of rain late Saturday and Sunday cooled the section for short periods but even then the temperature went to 85 Sunday and a low of 69.

Arkansas Death Toll Reaches 19

By The Associated Press

Two persons were killed in a plane crash near Batesville, Ark., yesterday to bring Arkansas reported violent death toll for the week ending last midnight to 19.

Two other persons were injured when their light plane crashed west of Batesville, within nine hours of the fatal crash northeast of the town.

The dead were identified by Independence County Sheriff Burton Arnold as two Navy veterans, 30-year-old Ray Frobe of Malvern, and Paul Freeman Jr., 34, of Conway.

Arnold said Frobe attempted to land his plane at the Frank Saxer farm near Charlotte, Ark., when it apparently stalled and crashed.

Arnold said Saxer told him the two men were coming to visit him and had buzzed his house preparatory to landing when the crash occurred. He said he was not watching the plane when it fell.

Arnold said Frobe picked up Freeman at Conway and took off about 8 a. m. The plane crashed about an hour and a half later.

In the second crash near Batesville, Rex Kelly of Steele, Mo., was injured critically when his plane apparently stalled in an attempted take-off from a pasture on his father's farm. His father, Clarence Kelly, also was injured in the crash. Young Kelly is in a Little Rock hospital.

A Forrester, Ark., Negro was killed near Glenwood, Ark., Sunday in a four-car collision which also involved a deputy sheriff's car. Deputy C. C. Myers of Glenwood identified the victim as 58-year-old Hubert Moon. Three other persons were injured in the collision.

Two Wildcat Oil Tests Abandoned

Two more wildcat oil tests in Hempstead County have been abandoned as dry, it was learned here today.

Broday Oil Company, drilling the Edwards and Foster No. 1, near Fulton, abandoned the test Sunday at 3,050 feet. Only last week the same company abandoned the King Estate No. 1, in the same section at nearly 4,500 feet.

In the Shover Springs area a Wildcat test on the Rob Jones place, NE SW 10-13-23, has also been abandoned at better than 2,100 feet.

Five Students From Hempstead Make Good Grades

Arkadelphia — Five students from Hempstead County were among the 80 students at Henderson State Teachers College to have B averages or better for the spring semester, according to C. B. Cooper, registrar.

One student, Margaret Watson of Arkadelphia, made all A's in the general college, which includes freshmen and sophomores.

Ten overclassmen made the senior college dean's list with all A's. They are Bobby Jean Baynham and Charles Bonner of Pine Bluff, Sidney P. Davis, Jr., of Prescott, John T. Odom of Mena, John W. Paschall, Jr., of Gould, Velma Blankenship of Stamps, L. D. Springer, Jr., of Hope, Clifford Woodall of Gurdon, and Bonnie Joyce Woodward of Plainview.

Springer, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Springer of Hope, was graduated from HSTC in May with the bachelor of arts degree. He was a psychology major here.

Other students from Hempstead county having no grades of less than B were:

Freshmen — Caroline Rose Hawthorne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hawthorne, 1421 South Main St., Hope, and Dorothy Lee Hulsey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hulsey of Washington.

Sophomores — Thomas Adrian Pedron, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Pedron, 712 South Pine St., of Hope.

Senior — Nancy Ann Camp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey J. Camp, 212 East 15th St., Hope.

Thieves Enter Concession Stand at Swimming Pool

Someone broke into Municipal Swimming Pool's concession stand Saturday night and took candy, gum, and a gallon of mustard and a jar about half full of pennies, City Police reported today.

Officers also indicated that an attempt to break into Delaney's Grocery in downtown Hope was unsuccessful. An investigation continues.

Guerillas Kill 61 in Korea

PUSAN, Korea (AP)—The U. S. 2nd Logistics Command today said 61 persons were killed by guerillas in a train attack June 24 in Southwest Korea. The dead include two American soldiers.



EGGASPERATINGLY HOT — Carol and Cheryl Judy, 3, identical twins, of Kansas City, Kans., fry a tasty egg on the stove-hot sidewalk. Kansas has been sweltering in heat which in some cases has climbed to a thermometer-popping 115 degrees. (NEA TELEPHOTO)

Ailments of Parents Are of Tremendous Importance to the Children and Parents

By HAL BOYLE

A TOWN IN THE WEST (AP)—The problem of a tremendous number of intellectual children is how to deal bravely with a parent's ailment.

The father and the mother do their best for the children they love. But they leave no pattern of comfort behind if death should suddenly grab them.

One of the most common diseases of late middle age is the stroke — or the heart attack. One stills the brain — at least partly. The other stills the heart pump, the valve of life.

The parent usually doesn't know his children do not tell him the nature of his ailment. Perhaps the children themselves do not know.

Every family must have a man like Jim, a man at the peak of his powers who is suddenly stricken and becomes helpless, so far as the use of his muscles is concerned.

The great hidden drama in many American families is what they do with a man who suffers a stroke. Usually the women of the family begin to make him their prisoner by babying him.

That is Jim's problem. He must go ahead inflicting his views and personality on a world in which he cannot run and play — but in which he has some responsibility. Such is the twilight goal of power for many men and women who wield responsibility, and who have suffered a stroke.

A stroke is an interior lightning flash that weakens one or the other side of the human body from a muscular viewpoint and makes a weak side emotionally dependent on the side that is not handicapped.

In other words, if your mother-in-law suffers a stroke, you should massage her stricken hand and make her know you love her. The extremities of those who are so afflicted become extremely sensitive. Only the calming hand of love can soothe them in their distress and doubt.

This any member of any family should as a labor of affection do for any relative or friend afflicted by a stroke.

The main thing about a person who has had a stroke is that he has lost communication with his ordinary world. He knows that better than you do. To help him you have to help him keep in touch with the life he has known before. You have to escort him over the ridge of difference. You have to build a bridge of love between what he was and what he must be, no matter what he was before. The main thing I always remember about people who have had strokes is that they appreciate it if you understand them.

Accidental Blasts Bring One Death

SEOUL, Korea (AP)—Accidental explosions of incendiary ammunition followed by fire killed a Korean woman and injured 8 persons including two Americans at Ulsan Army port 24 miles north of Pusan, the U. S. Fifth Army announced today.

Truman to Sign Controls Bill, Leaders Say

By STERLING F. GREEN

WASHINGTON (AP)—Administration leaders said today President Truman will sign later in the day a bill extending wage and price controls for 10 months.

Speaker Rayburn (D-Tex.) told reporters after a White House conference that the president is "not too well pleased with it" but that signing the measure is "the only thing he can do."

The bill as passed by Congress Saturday bears little resemblance to the controls legislation Truman asked the House and Senate last year.

He wanted authority to control wages and prices extended for two years, until June 30, 1954, and he asked that the current controls provisions — contained in the Defense Production Act of 1950 — be strengthened.

Instead, Congress weakened some of the controls authority and placed a 10-month limit on an extension.

The Defense Production Act will expire at midnight tonight unless the President signs the extension.

Rayburn and Sen. McNairland (D-Ariz.) Senate majority leader, said after the conference that they see no reason for calling Congress back in special session after the political conventions in July.

With the big military appropriation bill and the mutual security appropriation measure the only major items remaining for action, the two legislators said Congress should be able to quit Saturday night.

Rayburn told questioners the President "didn't seem very enthusiastic" over the legislation even though the final bill was considered a victory for the administration after the House earlier had voted to kill nearly all wage-price controls.

But on the possibility that the President might not sign the measure — even reluctantly — congressional leaders readied an emergency resolution to continue the present law long enough for Congress to tackle a substitute bill.

The controls legislation, finally worked out in a lengthy Senate conference, would continue federal authority to regulate wages and prices for 10 months — through next April 30.

But it would make several major changes in the present Defense Production Act. Those changes would:

1. End rent controls on Sept. 30 except in localities whose governing bodies vote to extend them to next April 30, and in certified critical defense areas.
2. Toss out controls over credit for consumer goods and for conventional housing loans. The Federal Reserve Board could restrict housing credit again if the annual rate of new houses started passed 1,200,000. The present rate is 1,100,000.
3. Retain the Wage Stabilization Board but with limited powers and to make the appointment of members subject to Senate confirmation. The board would be deprived of the authority to make recommendations in labor disputes unless the management and union agreed to ask the WSB how much of a wage boost might be granted in a dispute.

Murry to Open Drive, to Be Here Thursday

By The Associated Press

Atty. Gen. Ike Murry, the last of five Democratic candidates for governor to officially open his campaign, is expected to deliver on a 14-point program at his formal opener in North Little Rock tonight.

Murry says his speech won't deal in generalities.

He said he'll talk about Gov. McMath, who opened his campaign for a third term at Pine Bluff Saturday.

High Airforce Officials Are in Korea

SEOUL (INS)—A group of high-level United States Air Force officials arrived in Seoul today and immediately opened talks concerning aerial operations in the Korean War.

The party which flew from Tokyo was headed by Air Force Secretary Robert Oldham, Gen. Nathan S. Scales, chief of staff of the Air Force, and Lt. Gen. Charles E. Smith, commander of the U. S. Fifth Air Force.

The nine-man group also included Air Force Maj. Gen. Robert Landry, aide to President Truman.

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Mat Spread for Truman's Visit to State

LITTLE ROCK (AP)—Arkansas is spreading out the welcoming mat for President Truman, who arrives here tomorrow to dedicate Bollinger and Norfolk dams.

Flags on the mountainside are being hoisted, and the twin lakes are being filled with water. The state is putting the finishing touches on a 3-day celebration in the President's honor.

Mr. Truman is scheduled to arrive at Little Rock 8:30 p.m. Tuesday when he will be driven to a railroad station to board a special train for Norfolk.

The train, scheduled to arrive about 2 a.m. Wednesday at Norfolk, will lay over on a siding near the station until the President starts on his auto tour of the dam area about 8:45 a.m.

A welcoming address at the dedication ceremony, which starts at 10:30 a.m., will be delivered by Gov. McMath. He will be followed by Clyde T. Ellis, former Arkansas state director of the National Electric Cooperative Association.

The dedication ceremony will be held on a stand overlooking Bollinger Dam and Lake, which is situated on the White River. Mr. Truman's speech, billed as a major address, will be broadcast nationally.

The President will leave the area about 1:15 p.m. aboard a special train and deliver short speeches at Batesville and Newport. The Batesville address will be made from the rear platform of his railroad car and the Newport speech delivered at the Newport air field, where the President's plane will be waiting. It is scheduled to take off about 4:30 p.m.

Farm Bureau to Hear Dr. Caldwell

LITTLE ROCK (AP)—The new president of the University of Arkansas, John Dyer Caldwell, will address a Southern Farm Bureau meeting here July 6.

The group will hold its annual regional meeting here July 6 to 8 with members from 13 Southern states expected to attend.

Delany Takes Over East Command

NEW YORK (AP)—Rear Adm. Walter S. Delany takes command of the Eastern Sea Frontier today on the retirement of vice Adm. Oscar C. Hudger.

Delany, who will be promoted to vice admiral, also assumes the post of commander, Atlantic Reserve Fleet, and commander, Western Atlantic Sub-Area under Adm. Lynde D. McCormick, Supreme Allied Commander, Atlantic.

The transfer of commands will take place aboard the light cruiser Wright, which is docked at Pier 20, North River, New York.

Fair Enough

By Westbrook Pegler
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Everything they eat their dirty hands on they profane.

They inflated rank so that cheap, not being politicians, were calculations of state were based on, and the people were run around the rest of the world on their shoulders, automatically accumulating rights to postwar benefits including hospital services and pensions. They absolutely identified the value of our money with a law that made it a crime to possess gold or even a gold certificate which their servile Supreme Court approved.

Since the memory of living men is not to be forgotten, the American Red Cross had been sacred but now they put the Red Cross into politics and made a patronage job of the position of national president, passing it around among Northerners, a harmless, useless little Roosevelt house-pet, Basil O'Conor, the former law partner of the commander-in-chief, and George Marshall, the bureaucrat whose compliant conduct had won him five stars for his shoulder boards even though he had gone riding on his horse when every possible way should have been tried to warn Admiral Kimball and General Short in Pearl Harbor that war was only a few hours away.

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This reasoning only verified the opinion in which she was held by so many Americans of instinctive honor. For, if her mission had been legitimate, there would have been no reason for her to pay the Red Cross anything in that respect. If it wasn't legitimate, she should have been rejected and rebuffed. But she and her husband were insensitive to scorn and away she went, at great expense to the people, who had to provide her with a big plane and thousands of gallons of gasoline and a crew and a press-agent with the rank of major, all paid out of taxes. And the Red Cross refused to tell how much she paid on the ground that all contributions were confidential. Still, people were loath to believe all of the Red Cross itself. They hoped, against the increasing weight of evidence, against the vulgar bulk of the Red Cross bureaucracy and the overpaid publicity staff, that the Red Cross, their beautiful ideal of need-

cy and success, was still fine.

But, in the fall of 1940, a brave, independent man came back from Moscow where he had spent 13 years as the only Catholic priest in the country. Father Leopold Braun returned to his native New Bedford, Mass., and, at a meeting of the McMahon Council of the Knights of Columbus, charged that American Red Cross supplies, intended for needy Russian people, were used to maintain "that atmosphere of totalitarian domination, thanks only to which the pseudo-strength of the dictatorial regime is manifested."

Father Braun, who speaks and reads Russian, said he was almost unique among the 177 monks, nuns and lay brothers of his order, and that he had been in Moscow and had seen the Red Cross supplies being used to maintain "that atmosphere of totalitarian domination, thanks only to which the pseudo-strength of the dictatorial regime is manifested."

Eventually, he said, "these nuns and monks saw Mr. Hubbell, the American Red Cross director in Moscow, drive around in a beautiful new Buick and saw the new Red Cross station wagon with its distinguishing marks, circulating to cocktails parties, receptions and other similar functions when they were not being used for skidding parties. The poor, thinly clad and undernourished Russians, except for a very small number, did not even attempt to see Mr. Hubbell. Instead of directing Mr. Hubbell, they came to me. I had the sad experience of witnessing the indescribable poverty, want and hunger of many an old father and mother whose sons had died or had been wounded at the front.

"On June 20, 1943, I finally managed to obtain an interview with Mr. Hubbell. This man was then in process of installation and was very busy ordering from abroad the necessary articles for his housewarming. He had been in Moscow for some months, but I had not had the honor of meeting him. Nor did I ever have the honor of meeting any of the many visiting commissions sent to Moscow to inspect the distribution of supplies. My long experience and accumulated knowledge were not in sympathy or accord with the flowery reports resulting invariably from the back-circuit investigations."

Father Braun said Hubbell told him that our Red Cross had made the grave mistake of promising to deliver the stuff to Soviet agents in American ports and to leave distribution to the Russians absolutely.

"When Mr. Hubbell candidly explained his ignorance of the fate of these supplies, amounting to millions of dollars, I told him I knew for an absolute fact that they were being almost exclusively handed out to the GPU people, who are the last to have any claim on American charity contributions."

The priest said Mr. Hubbell seemed undisturbed, but "took price in telling me that he had just given a 28-cover dinner party precisely at a time when worthy Russians were dying of malnutrition." Later, at a reception by the British military mission, Father Braun said to Hubbell: "I know the American Red Cross is a very powerful organization. I know that Norman Davis, now deceased, W.P.A. had a finger in more than one political pie back in the United States, but nevertheless this outrageous scandal of the American Red Cross in Moscow is bound to burst sooner or later. It cries to heaven. You can count on my doing anything in my power to help it burst."

Father Braun said the Red Cross spent \$27,000,000 on relief for Russians, practically none of which ever reached the people.

In Washington, Edward H. Powers, the national publicity director said Washington headquarters never received word from the agents in Russia that the supplies were being diverted.

In Tucson, Arizona, at this writing, the Red Cross is putting up a local headquarters which will cost \$100,000.

The Negro Community

By Helen Turner
Phone 7-4474
Or bring items to Miss Turner at Hicks Funeral Home

Miss Maxine Hamilton of New York City arrived Saturday morning to spend a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. Corinne Hamilton, and other relatives.

Mrs. Frances Meredith has returned to her home in Grand Rapids, Mich., after attending the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. Mary F. Sutton.

Mrs. Catherine H. Marcoe of San Antonio, Tex., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Margaret H. Hill, and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hicks have returned home after attending the Arkansas State Negro Embalmers meeting in Merriam.

Key Stone Lodge No. 43 will have their regular meeting Tuesday night, July 1, at the regular meeting place.

Funeral services for Dr. Henry Ed will be held Wednesday, July 2, with Hicks Funeral Home in charge.

Mrs. Bessie Williams left Monday night for Oakland, Calif., after spending several weeks visiting relatives and friends.

Court Docket

CITY DOCKET

Winston White, Driving with 4 in front seat, Forfeited \$5 cash bond.
Mrs. Tully Henry Running "stop sign", Forfeited \$5 cash bond.
Dorothy Sanders, No driver's license, Forfeited \$5 cash bond.
Burt Lee, No intrastate license, Forfeited \$5 cash bond.
R. C. Cook, Hazardous driving, Forfeited \$10 cash bond.
Julius Stuart, Disturbing peace, Forfeited \$10 cash bond.
Garland Grant, Drunkenness, Forfeited \$10 cash bond.
James Atkins, Improper lights on car, Forfeited \$1 cash bond.
Plea guilty, fined \$25 and 1 day in jail.

John Nelson, I. I. Robertson, Lloyds Ellis, Speeding, Forfeited \$1 cash bond.
Tim Allen, Josephine Hightower, G. W. Hart, Cornelius Hightower, Jack Green, Maintain open toilet, Dismissed.

STATE DOCKET

D. G. Orr, Speeding, Forfeited \$5 cash bond.
W. L. Madden, Operate a motor vehicle without permit, Forfeited \$20 cash bond.
Willie McEliff, Failure to display proper flare on highway, Forfeited \$5 cash bond.

Joseph L. Raulston, Towing more than 1 vehicle, Forfeited \$25 cash bond.
Clifford Thomas, No chauffeur's license, Dismissed.

The following forfeited \$25 cash bond on a charge of OVERLOAD:
D. A. Cantler, Car Shipley, Clifford Thomas, Lucille Pinn, J. D. Person, Maurice Gatt, Roy Warren, W. C. Wilburn, C. E. Winter, P. M. Bryant, J. W. Trammel.

Surgery Cures Confessed Burglar

BUTLER, Pa. (AP)—Millard F. Wright, 42-year-old confessed burglar who underwent brain surgery in a vain attempt to curb his urge to steal, no longer is tormented by his conscience.

He killed himself yesterday in a fit of remorse. Police at the Butler barracks found him dead in a detention cell. Around his neck was a makeshift noose; an artery in one arm had been severed. Three suicide notes told of his regret for his life of crime. One stated:

"I am sentencing myself to death for all my evil misdeeds."
In 1947 Wright underwent an operation in a Pittsburgh hospital in which part of his brain was removed. It was believed the operation had eliminated his urge to steal. He was paroled from prison in 1949.

Two weeks ago police arrested him and found more than \$25,000 worth of stolen loot in his Pittsburgh apartment. He admitted 28 house burglaries in Western Pennsylvania and two in West Virginia. A few days ago he was brought here to show police the scenes of his burglaries.

State police said Wright broke his glasses and used a piece of the glass to slash his wrist. He made a noose of his T-shirt and a small blanket to strangle himself.

His 27-year-old wife Roberta could only say, "Millard in my opinion was a very good man. What he had wrong with him was something he couldn't do anything about."

Wright's second note to his wife, whom he married in April, read: "Goodbye, my darling. Give my eternal love to my good loyal wife who has been more to me than I deserve. I am sentencing myself to death for my evil misdeeds."

The third note: "Dr. Koskoff, Reverend Swoyer, Bill Henry, Chaplain Strenzel, Father Hubert, and those I harmed. Please forgive me. I die in sincere sorrow."

The names listed in the notes were those of Dr. Yale Koskoff, Pittsburgh, who performed the operation on Wright; the Rev. Crover E. Swoyer, Pittsburgh minister; William Henry, Pittsburgh police officer; the Rev. A. W. Strenzel, chaplain at Western Penitentiary, where Wright was serving a 2 to 12 year sentence for burglary when paroled; and the Rev. F. J. Hubert, Catholic priest assigned to the prison.

Relaxation on Agenda for Eisenhower

DENVER (AP)—Rest and relaxation topped Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's agenda today. The general pared his schedule of official duties to the bare as his aides made ready for the pre-convention move to Chicago either Friday or Saturday.

With the exception of a 30-minute meeting with delegates from North Dakota, Eisenhower was not in his headquarters yesterday.

He went to church with Mrs. Eisenhower, played golf at the Cherry Hills Country Club, and last night was guest of honor at a barbecue at the home of a friend.

His top aides reportedly were considering a local radio broadcast in which he would thank the people of Denver for the way they have greeted him, his party and the delegates who have journeyed here to see him. The broadcast is tentatively set for Wednesday night, but no definite decision has been made.

John Hielum of Jamestown, N. D., GOP delegate and Eisenhower booster, told reporters that "scurrying, delusory, literature"

Acheson Says U. S. to Stay in Austria

VIENNA, Austria (AP)—U. S. Secretary of State Dean Acheson said in an official visit to this European capital today that the United States would stay in Austria.

The Secretary's statement came in a speech to the Austrian parliament today. He said the United States would stay in Austria because of the danger to the world if the country were to become a satellite of the Soviet Union.

Coming here from Berlin, Acheson was scheduled today to call on Austrian President Dr. Theodor Korneier, Chancellor Leopold Figl and Vice-Chancellor Adolf Schaub.

The Secretary's planned speech was scheduled for lunch with Austrian Minister Karl Gruber, a reception in the evening by U. S. Deputy High Commissioner Walter Dowling and a state dinner by the Austrian government. Acheson and his party planned to work in a city night club in the afternoon.

The Secretary's "sympathetic" visit to Vienna and Berlin aimed to bolster courage in the beleaguered cities and demonstrate to their free people that they are fully backed by the West.

Acheson will take off tomorrow for Brazil, where he makes an official visit before returning to Washington.

He said on his arrival here yesterday that Americans "admire and honor the patience and courage with which the people of Austria have borne the disappointment in not having had the liberty and independence promised them during the war."

Chattering crowds thronged the square at Franz Josef Station in the American sector of Vienna to greet him. On his 20-mile train ride from Tulln Air Base, thousands of other Austrians cheered him loudly despite Soviet soldiers and sailors along the way.

Austrian police were placed every 200 yards along the route of the special U. S. train. A police cordon was thrown up in the city along the Danube Canal which borders the Soviet sector.

The threat of Red demonstrations failed to materialize, however, after 39 Communists were jailed earlier in the week for smashing streets and walls with "Acheson go home" signs.

Before leaving Berlin, the U. S. secretary had assured the Germans that "we shall remain in Berlin until we are satisfied that against Eisenhower has been pointing into the state."

"So much is being received from anonymous sources that I believe it is turning sympathy to the general," Hielum said.

Hielum was one of four North Dakota delegates who visited with Eisenhower.

The Associated Press translation of delegate strength in North Dakota shows eight for Taft, one for Eisenhower and five uncommitted.

A spokesman for the North Dakota group said they talked with Eisenhower chiefly about farm problems. Hielum quoted the general as saying he favored continued operation of the Community Credit Corporation and its crop support program.

Taft Likes Mac as V-P Choice

WASHINGTON (AP)—Sen. Robert Taft says the Republicans would now "quite a ticket" with himself for President and Gen. Douglas MacArthur for vice president.

Taft made the statement in his annual report to date, looking on a possible GOP presidential campaign in the November election as a possibility.

The Ohio senator said that, if he is nominated for president by the convention, he would accept whoever was the vice-presidential pick. He said he did not know whether MacArthur, who will deliver the convention keynote address, would agree to run for vice president.

South Korean Political Crisis Near

By WILLIAM JORDEN

PUSAN, Korea (AP)—South Korea's political crisis reached a climax today as President Syngman Rhee demanded the Assembly an ultimatum to adopt his proposed constitutional amendments quickly or he would dissolve the Legislature.

"I will wait only a few more days," Rhee declared, then "I will take drastic action in compliance with the will of the people."

Rhee did not indicate how he would go about dissolving the Assembly. Korea's Constitution makes no provision for such action.

The 77-year-old President and the National Assembly have been feuding bitterly since January. Rhee demanded a constitutional amendment providing for popular election of a President and a two-house Legislature.

The one-house Assembly elects the President. It was scheduled to do so last week, but Rhee supporters forced postponement of the election.

The President's ultimatum was read by Prime Minister Chang Taek Sang, leader of a compromise faction.

A few days before Rhee's message was read to the Assembly, the President received an ultimatum from representatives of towns and city councils and provincial assemblies, who strongly support him.

The provincial representatives, city councilmen, he reminded them, "We shall regard any attack on Berlin from whatever quarter as an attack against our forces and ourselves."

He said he saw no immediate threat of Russian aggression although he did not underestimate recent pressure put on isolated West Berlin by the Communists.

To reach Tulln Air Base near Berlin, Acheson flew across the Russian zones of Germany and Austria in President Truman's plane, the Independence.

Among others in the secretary's party were Mrs. Acheson and U. S. Ambassador at Large Philip C. Jessup.

Schools Can't Charge Fee in Registration

LITTLE ROCK (AP)—The Arkansas Supreme Court today said that no registration fee may be required in the state's public schools.

The court said that to require such a fee would violate the constitutional provision for free schools.

The court made this point in upholding Boone County Circuit Court's dismissal of a suit brought by Louis Dowell and two others to enjoin the Boone County School District from collecting a registration fee.

The court noted that defendant school officials contended the fee was voluntary and was collected to enable the district to obtain \$7,000

or \$8,000 of additional funds so a full school term could be held. In any case, the court said, the fee has been discontinued and refunds offered and added "we are affirming the decree, because the registration fee has ceased."

The Supreme Court reversed and remanded the Circuit Court's decision of a suit of P. E. Dicks against the statutory penalty from Southwestern Bell Telephone Company for refusal to furnish service.

The Supreme Court said the lower court dismissed the complaint on the company's motion before any testimony was taken.

Dobbs charged that the company had failed to provide a single line service to his home at 400 Delta street, Hot Springs, although he made a written request and others were getting such service.

The law provides that a \$100 penalty plus \$3 a day may be recovered for discriminatory refusal to furnish service.

The court refused a rehearing of a June 2 order which directed Union Chancery Court to issue an injunction against picketing of the Lion Oil Company chemical plant in El Dorado by striking oil workers.

When it is first formed, the human embryo is less than a hundredth of an inch across.

It is believed that the first passenger elevator was installed in New York in 1857.

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Miss Maxine Hamilton of New York City arrived Saturday morning to spend a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. Corinne Hamilton, and other relatives.

Mrs. Frances Meredith has returned to her home in Grand Rapids, Mich., after attending the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. Mary F. Sutton.

Mrs. Catherine H. Marcoe of San Antonio, Tex., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Margaret H. Hill, and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hicks have returned home after attending the Arkansas State Negro Embalmers meeting in Merriam.

Key Stone Lodge No. 43 will have their regular meeting Tuesday night, July 1, at the regular meeting place.

Funeral services for Dr. Henry Ed will be held Wednesday, July 2, with Hicks Funeral Home in charge.

Mrs. Bessie Williams left Monday night for Oakland, Calif., after spending several weeks visiting relatives and friends.

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Calendar

Monday, June 30

WCS Circle 5 of the First Methodist Church will meet Monday, June 30, at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. George Murphy, 1000 N. Main St. Hostesses, Mrs. George Murphy, Mrs. J. B. Linder, Mrs. J. B. Linder, Jr., and Mrs. J. B. Linder, Jr. will lead in the study of the Book of Acts. A good attendance is urged.

Tuesday, July 1

The VFW Auxiliary will meet Tuesday night, July 1, at 7:30. Hostesses will be Mrs. Fred Cook and Mrs. John Keel.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Bassett and Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Bryant will be hosts and hostesses to "Game Night" at the Hope Country Club Tuesday night, July 1, at 8 o'clock.

Wednesday, July 2

Circle No. 4 of the Christian Women's Fellowship of the First Christian Church will meet at 7:30 Wednesday night at the home of Mrs. A. L. Park.

Monday, July 7

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First Methodist Church will meet Monday, July 7, at the home of Mrs. J. W. Strickland with Mrs. B. W. Edwards as co-hostess.

Mrs. C. Stuart Honored With Surprise Birthday Party

The Food Service Club Workers of the Hope Schools gave their surprise birthday party, Friday evening, at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Port Chamberlain.

Mrs. Matt Yeaman was in charge of the affair.

The honoree was the recipient of many hand-drawn letters.

The hostess assisted by Mrs. L. A. Walker and Mrs. Yeaman served cake and ice cream to the following guests: Mrs. Selmer Asberry, Mrs. Mary Lynn, Mrs. Tom Trent, Mrs. Lela Betts, Mrs. Dee Roberts, Mrs. Lois Hollis, Mrs. Clarence Frith, Mrs. Tom Bryant, Mrs. Monna Gentry, Mrs. Lewis Smith, Mrs. Dudley Parker, and Mrs. Dale Tomemaker.

17 Friendship Club Meets June 26

The 17 Friendship Club met at the home of Mrs. Orville Oglesby June 26.

Mrs. Oglesby, president, presided over the business session. The program on "American Literature" was presented by Mrs. Carlton King. A birthday gift was presented to Mrs. Odell Luck. Gifts of handmade handkerchiefs were given to those who have already had a birthday this year by Mrs. Ben Waller.

A picnic will be held Tuesday evening on the lawn of the W. A. Mudgett home for the members and their families. The next meet-



Pictured above is the Frankenstein Monster, and his beautiful "victim," Miss Claire Roberts, in the "Hollywood Starlet." This is one of the many scenes from the "Hollywood Starlet" Stage Show, playing at 10 p.m. tonight at the Saenger.

Dr. Silkin, the ghost master, uses every known device of stagecraft to attempt to convince you that there are spirits and a spirit world. He will also introduce you to a nice little play fellow known as the wild man, and gorilla that escapes from the stage and runs wild in the audience. Nice friendly fellow this Dr. Silkin. The bobby

Debate Could Help People Pick Candidate

By JAMES MARLOW

WASHINGTON (AP)—We could all make up our minds better about the presidential hopefuls if they'd just have a nice debate, face-to-face, on television.

For instance, Sen. Robert Taft and Gen. Dwight Eisenhower in one debate and some of the would-be Democratic candidates in another.

Then, after the Democratic and Republican conventions in Chicago each pick a candidate, those two winners could debate on TV. Not just once. As often as necessary.

And none of the TV debates, before or after the conventions, would have to be 30-minute quickies. Instead, full dress debates, even if they took hours.

This wouldn't be asking too much of the men or the networks. If all the TV time already used by the candidates individually was laid end to end it would amount to many hours anyway.

There's nothing new in the debate between candidates. It's at least 94 years old. Lincoln and Douglas debated before big crowds in Illinois when they ran for the Senate in 1858.

But presidential candidates never took to the idea very well, perhaps because it was always more comfortable, politically and personally, not to.

In the days before radio and TV in a country as big as this, if the presidential candidates wanted the people everywhere to hear and see them arguing together, they would have had to tour around like a vaudeville team.

There never was any reason, of course, why they couldn't have debated a few times in just one place. The newspapers would have covered every word for the people who couldn't be there.

There was still less excuse for the candidates not debating once radio had networked the country, enabling every one to hear them at the same time, no matter where they met.

Since radio can't transmit a campaign smile into a living room, some politicians may have considered it a disadvantage, particularly if, being invisible, they just sound nasal or noisy.

But now that TV stretches across the country, the presidential hopefuls have lost their last excuse—except one for not meeting face to face where everyone can see and hear and judge them.

The one excuse: There is still politics. And if a would-be president thinks he can do better for himself by not risking a public meeting with the other guy, he won't risk it.

Harriman Sure U. S. Ready to Beat Reds

NEW YORK (AP)—Averell Harriman says he is confident that the American people are prepared to finance world unity against Communist aggression.

Harriman, after a nationwide tour in his campaign for the Democratic presidential nomination, appeared yesterday on a Columbia Broadcasting System network television show, "Harriman Faces the Issues."

It was a two-way broadcast in which Harriman, in New York, answered questions on foreign and domestic policies asked by his family groups gathered in front of the Montgomery County Courthouse in Dayton, O.

Harriman said that the United States, if present anti-Communist policies are continued, need not be afraid of Russia after a couple of years "because we will be able then to deal with Stalin on our terms."

Harriman, former U. S. Ambassador to Moscow, said he foresaw a live and let live situation in which the Communists would lose ground because of inherent weaknesses.

Without mentioning other presidential candidates by name, Harriman said voters should be on the lookout against men "who tell you how what should have been done five years ago."

"Look at their voting record for the past five years if they happen to have been in the Congress," he added.

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PRESCOTT NEWS

Tuesday, July 1

The Order of the Eastern Star will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30 at the Alamo Hall for a regular stated meeting.

Wednesday, July 2

There will be a prayer meeting at the Church of Nazareth Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Prayer meeting will begin at 7:30 Wednesday evening at the Methodist Church.

There will be an officers and teachers meeting at 7 p.m. Wednesday evening at the First Baptist Church. Prayer meeting at 7:30 and choir practice at 8:30.

Development Council Sponsors Community Meet

The Prescott Community Development Council sponsored a community-wide meeting Thursday night at the court house with approximately 100 persons in attendance.

O. W. Watkins, chairman of the Council who made the opening remarks, explained that the meeting had been called in an effort to solicit more interest from the city residents in projects of a community nature. He listed some of the accomplishments the Council had made since its formation in December, 1941. Some of these were:

Planting of shrubbery along the highway and railroad right of way; city-wide clean-up campaign which was successful; start of the youth center; parking space around the court house and renovation of the public building; and several others.

Among new projects to be undertaken is a garbage disposal system. Also research on the cost and possibility of a swimming pool has been started as a result of the meeting.

Center Recreation Club Has Fish Fry

Members of the Center Recreation Club enjoyed their annual fish fry at the club house.

There were twenty-five members present and a guest, Mr. George Tatum, who spoke on the "Community Improvement Program" and distributed leaflets on the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Leemis and son, Billy, have returned from a visit in Memphis and Little Rock.

Mr. John Sledge and Mrs. Merwin Harper have returned to their home in Roanoke, Va., after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Gordon.

Miss Mary Lou Thomas attended a business meeting of the Texarkana Caddis Club in Texarkana on Wednesday morning. Miss Thomas was elected vice-president of the club.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bemis and Mrs. Orin Ellsworth motored to Texarkana Wednesday for the day.

D. L. McGee, Jr. and Roger Smith of Magnolia were Wednesday business visitors in Little Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kirk and Frank Jr. of Albany, Ga., are spending this week with Mrs. Kirk's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Whitworth.

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Congressmen Split on Control Vote

WASHINGTON (AP)—Four Arkansas congressmen voted against the compromise wage-price-control bill which the house sent to President Truman.

Reps. Hays and Tymble voted for the measure; Reps. Gathings, Harris, Mills, Norrell against it.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Morris have returned from Gallatin, Tenn., where they have spent the past ten days with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cole have had as their guests, Mrs. Frances Parker, of Shreveport.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Foster and daughter, Sharon, have returned to their home in Big Lake, Texas after a visit with Mrs. Madge Burgess.

Mrs. Chon Hines left Friday for Ft. Worth, Texas to join Dr. and Mrs. M. D. Evans with whom she will spend several weeks in Denver, Colorado.

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Coming and Going

Don Bailey has left for Fort Worth, Texas, for a visit with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Fuller, who will return him to his home and spend July 4th here.

Mrs. G. A. Lathrop and children JoAnne, Robert, and Bobby, of Texarkana, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. K. V. Atkins over the week end.

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Hospital Notes

Julia Chester

Admitted: Mrs. Chas. B. Collins, Mineral Springs; Mrs. W. W. Andrews, Hope; Mrs. Johnnie Elliott, Hope; Mrs. Ellie Kendrick, Rt. 1, Hope; Mrs. Ruel Wright, Texarkana, Texas; Mrs. R. T. Wilson, Hope.

Discharged: T. J. Caldwell, Columbia; Mrs. Opal G. Carlton, of Rosston; Mrs. Jim Brown, Rt. 2, Hope; Mrs. Vernon Osburn and daughter, Patricia Louise, Hope.

Josephine

Admitted: Mrs. H. S. Baer, of Paris, Texas.

Discharged: Mrs. Wm. Pool, of Rosston.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Burns, announce the arrival of a daughter June 28.

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Hurling Excels in Cotton League

By The Associated Press

Under Cotton States League

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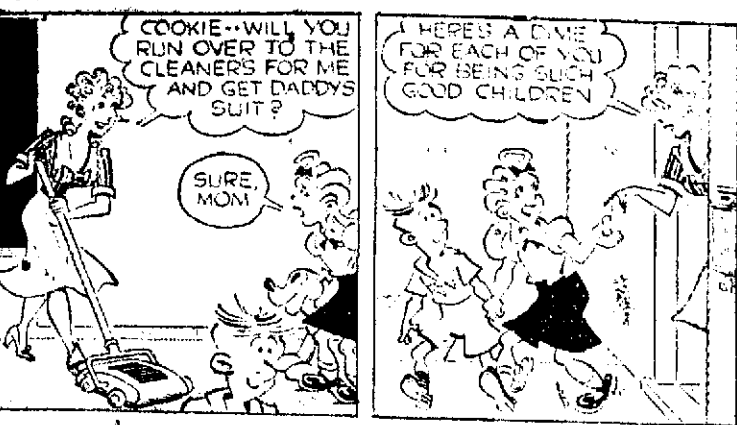
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BLONDIE



By Chick Young



OSARK KID



By Roy Croft

Gone Fishing

Answer to Previous Puzzle

HORIZONTAL

- 1 Bostonian fish
- 4 Big-mouthed
- 8 Wall-eyed
- 12 Fish found in water
- 13 Century plant
- 14 Leave out
- 15 Short sleep
- 16 Enliven again
- 18 Defamation
- 20 Ancient Greek districts
- 21 Legal matters
- 22 Female sheep (pl.)
- 24 Worthless scraps
- 26 Notion
- 27 Beast of burden
- 30 What fish eat with
- 32 Kind of bomb
- 34 Cares for the sick
- 35 Hitch-hiking fish
- 36 Follower
- 37 Regrets
- 38 Formerly
- 40 Departs
- 41 Insect
- 42 Lively frolic
- 45 Burning incense
- 49 Interpret
- 51 Collection of animals
- 52 Sleep
- 53 Atop
- 54 Letter of - Greek alphabet
- 55 Fruit drinks
- 56 Man (coll.)
- 57 Place

VERTICAL

- 1 Many fish are packed in
- 2 Spoken
- 3 Exit
- 4 Poets
- 5 Toward the sheltered side
- 6 Flew
- 7 Oriental coin
- 8 Apple-like fruits
- 9 Mohammedan priest
- 10 Flying toy
- 11 French summers
- 17 Fancy
- 19 Birds' homes
- 23 Has on
- 24 All (prefix)
- 25 Put to flight
- 26 Put forth
- 27 Liquidates
- 28 Knights
- 29 Get away from the fish, cat!
- 31 Demigods
- 33 Portents
- 38 Fish often
- 39 the hook
- 40 Heredity units
- 41 Concerning
- 42 Greek porch
- 43 Goad
- 44 Demolish
- 46 Famous
- 47 Short letter
- 48 Red mullet is also called
- 49 -fish
- 50 Pull along

OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams



OUR BOARDING HOUSE

With Major Hoople



FUNNY BUSINESS

By Hershberger



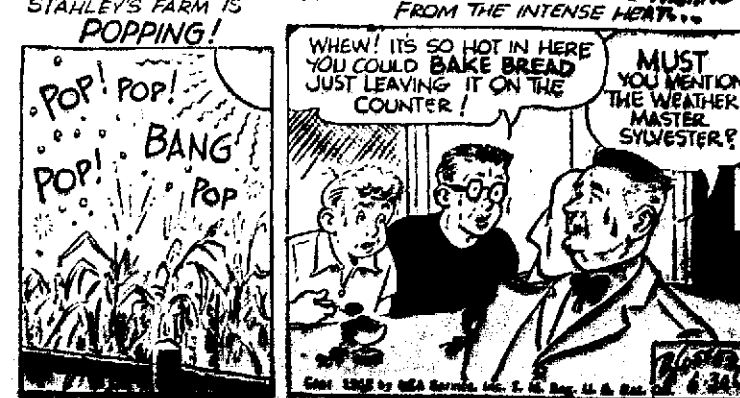
FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

By Blosser



THE CORN ON VERN STANLEY'S FARM IS POPPING!

EVERYBODY AND EVERYTHING IS WALKING FROM THE INTENSE HEAT...

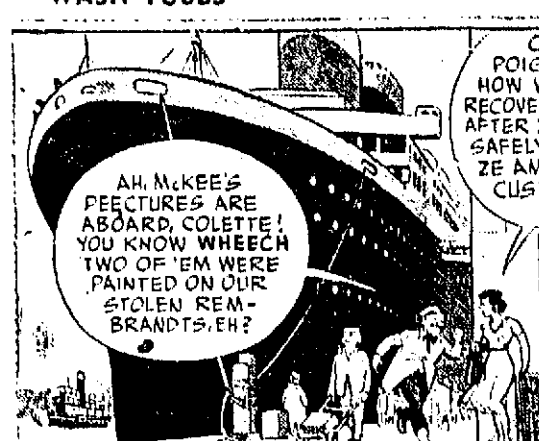


VIC FLINT

By Michael O'Malley and Ralph Lamb

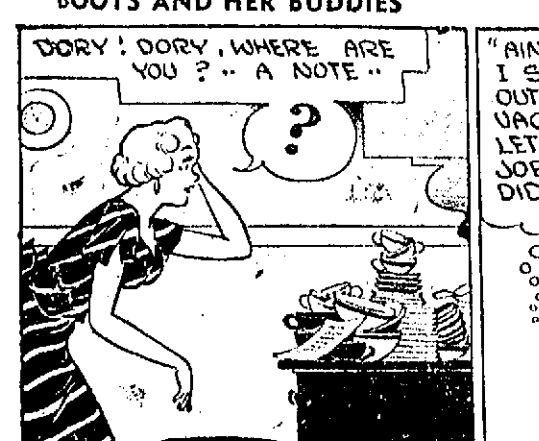


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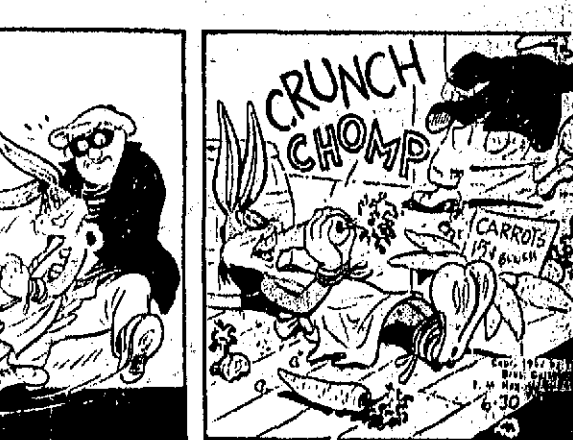
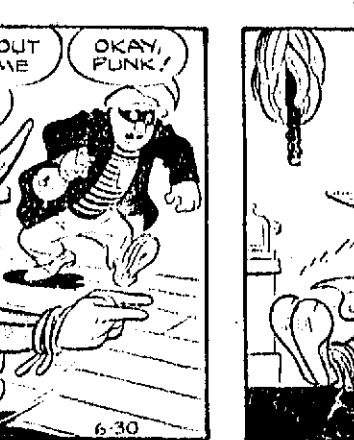
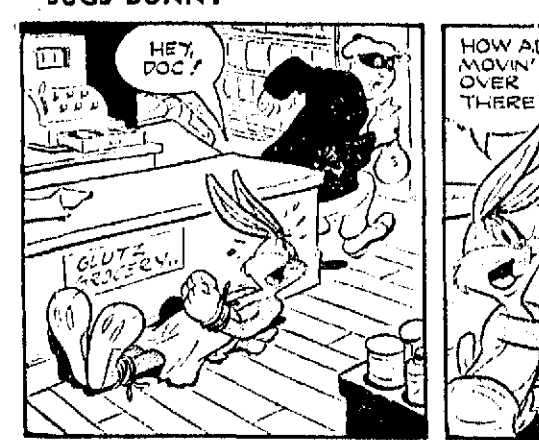


BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

By Edgar Martin

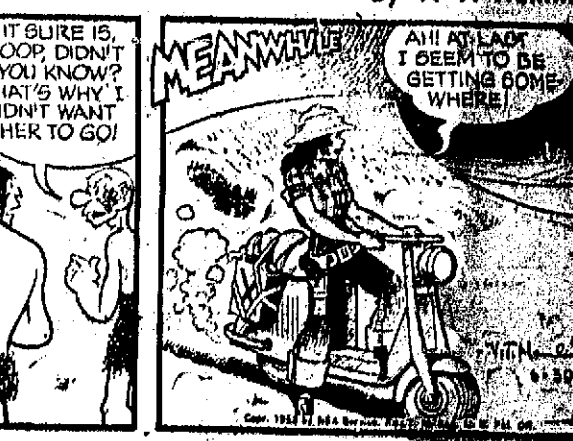


BUGS BUNNY



ALLEY OOP

By V. T. Hamlin

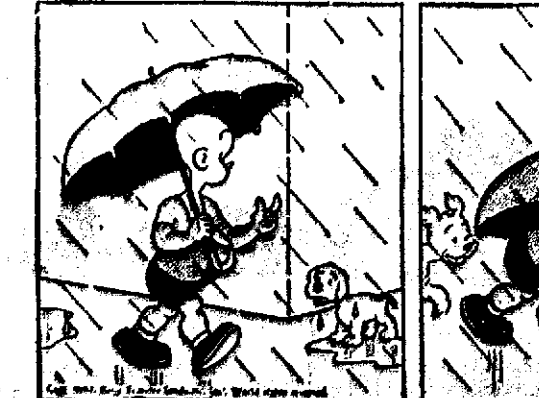


CHRIS WELKIN, Planeteer

By Russ Winterbotham



HENRY



SIDE GLANCES

By Galbraith



Are You Planning To Buy A New Car or Something For Your Home?
Do You Have Plans For A New Refrigerator, A New Washing Machine
or A Television Set? Do You Use The Installment Method (The Great
American Way) To Enjoy The Things You Want And Must Have?
Can YOU PAY CASH For All These Things From Now On??????

WARNING! The "Selfish Interests" Are At Work and We Call On You To

PROTECT YOUR RIGHT TO INSTALLMENT BUYING.....

Look! Read This! 

From the Arkansas Gazette, Last Sunday, June 29, 1952

America's economy is geared to the installment method of buying. Your car, your home, your life-insurance, almost everything you own, you have purchased on a deferred payment plan, a true American way of happiness and the American way of life. You have enjoyed and participated in the great American tradition of a higher standard of living for everyone, rich and poor alike. And now the people of Arkansas are about to have that privilege taken away from them. The "selfish interests" are conducting a propaganda cam-

paign and putting up a smoke screen to prevent YOU from knowing the truth about the "Modern Consumer Credit Amendment" on which the people of Arkansas will be asked to vote at the coming General Election. If a sufficient number of people sign the petition, you will be allowed the privilege of voting on the question as to whether you do or do not want the Amendment to the constitution to permit you to continue to buy on the installment method as you have in the past.

The People Will Vote For Installment Buying If the Petition Is Completed!

Under our form of government the law governing installment buying may be defined by the people. You have the right to decide if you want it or not, and the American way of determining it is to Vote on the question. Shall the people of Arkansas be the ONLY citizens in the United States deprived of the privilege of installment buying? Will you go to Tennessee, Kentucky, Missouri, Oklahoma, Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi to buy the things you need? Will your mer-

chants and hometown business people be able to survive against this out-of-state competition? The answer is "No." WE DO NOT WANT A BUSINESS DEPRESSION IN ARKANSAS. WE DO NOT WANT ARKANSAS SINGLED OUT AND THE FINGER OF RIDICULE POINTED AT ARKANSAS AS BEING BACKWARD IN INSTALLMENT BUYING. Think! Neighbors, Think what this means to you and your way of life.

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Dealers Push Petitions to Legalize Fees On Installment Sales of Cars, Appliances

By JAMES L. MEADOW
Of the Gazette Staff
A concerted effort is being made to stabilize Arkansas consumer credit laws through a constitutional amendment on the November election ballot.

Dealers who must depend on outside financing in installment buying are backing the amendment for which a petition containing 31,600 names must be filed with the secretary of state not later than Friday.

Solicitors are combing the state for signers, inspired by a payment of 15 cents for each bona fide name. The campaign is sponsored by a co-operative dealer organization known as the Arkansas Consumer Finance Association, headed by Walter C. Guy, Little Rock business executive.

Would Keep Interest Curb
If sufficient names are obtained the proposed amendment will go to voters in November. Proponents contend that the amendment will not remove the constitutional limit of 10 per cent on interest charges, which recent Arkansas Supreme Court rulings upheld. The decision produced an air of uncertainty about future installment buying in the state.

The amendment is proposed to place in the hands of the General Assembly the authority to say what charges may be made for services in connection with a loan and to distinguish between time sale prices and cash sale prices for furniture, appliances and automobiles—points which the Supreme Court rulings left undecided.

Most automobile dealers and more than half of the appliance dealers in Arkansas depend on outside finance agencies to purchase notes for installment buying at a discount. The dealer gets his purchase price, or perhaps a little less, in cash from the finance company which collects directly from the purchaser for the full amount on the notes.

To keep a full stock on hand, most dealers must discount the notes for cash soon after the sale is made. More often than not the accumulated charges amount to

more than a simple 10 per cent of the purchase price, even with the interest figured on an annual basis in installments that run longer than a year.

The finance companies, most of which operate on a national basis, explain that a 10 per cent discount on a transaction would involve almost twice as much as flat 10 per cent interest. They say that a 5 per cent discount usually equals a simple 10 per cent of the purchase price.

Costs Exceed Interest
One official said that on a \$200 purchase contract, by strict application of the Supreme Court ruling, a finance company would gross only \$10 in a 12-month period. The overhead and collection costs for such a contract, he said, would be \$16 to \$18 annually.

For that reason, dealers have been told that Arkansas laws must be clarified or finance companies will pull out of the state and sell only outright installment buying. Relatively few businesses in the state have sufficient capital to finance their own installment purchases.

Because of the uncertainty stirred by the Arkansas court rulings, a number of out-of-state agencies doing business in Arkansas already have inserted exceptions in newspaper advertisements stating: "Sales in Arkansas for cash only."

One large Little Rock wholesaler was told that he faced the loss of a nationally advertised appliance franchise in the state unless he could arrange for his own financing.

The resulting decrease in sales volume will force many small firms out of business, cut ad revenues and community activities by many business owners of the state, the dealers' association contends.

Four Groups Back Petition
Joining in the effort to place the amendment on the November ballot are the Arkansas Automobile Dealers Association, Arkansas Business Hardware Dealers Association, the Arkansas Furniture Dealers Association, and the Arkansas Consumer Finance Association. Their representatives formed the Arkansas Consumer Finance Association.

Attorneys for the group approved this amendment for presentation to the voters.

"All contracts for a greater rate of interest than 10 per cent per annum shall be void, as to principal and interest, and the General Assembly shall prohibit the same by law; but when no rate of interest is agreed upon, the rate shall be 6 per cent per annum."

"Provided, however, that in addition to interest the General Assembly may authorize charges to be made and retained by a lender for services or expenses in connection with a loan and if such charges so made and retained are within the maximum fixed by the General Assembly such charges shall not be considered interest nor shall the difference between a cash sale price and an agreed upon time sale price be considered interest."

A spokesman for the sponsoring group made this comment about the amendment:

"The proposed amendment does not remove the constitutional limit for maximum interest. What it does is place in the hands of the legislature the full authority to say what charges may be made for services in connection with a loan and what charges may not be made."

"It places in the hands of the legislature the power to prevent the schemes and devices which have been in effect in Arkansas for a number of years. It separates interest from charges and delegates to the legislature the power to enumerate and specify what charges are allowable. Of itself it does not authorize any charges. This is left up to the legislature."

"It also authorizes the legislature to distinguish between time sale prices and cash sale prices in the sale of furniture, appliances and automobiles."

**Only The Rich Can Pay Cash For What They Want!
YOU Can Help- YOU Can Sign A Petition Today! You
Can Help In This Public Fight For Installment Buying
--Go To Your Local Auto or Appliance Dealer Today-
Last Day To Sign Petition July 3, DON'T DELAY!**